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Organ Transplantation - Role of Physical Therapy

1. What intervention should a PT focus on with a patient who has transferred with minimum assistance of one on the third day after a heart transplant?

- A. Seated Exercises
- B. Sit to Stands
- C. Community Ambulation
- D. Short Distance Ambulation

2. What qualifies a person to have stage four heart failure per the New York Heart Association?

- A. Angina with Exertion
- B. Angina while Sitting
- C. Angina while Walking
- D. None of These

3. What might a patient with a fever and high respiratory rate be experiencing eight weeks after a lung transplant?

- A. Chronic Rejection
- **B.** Myocardial Infarction
- C. Poor Tolerance to Activity
- D. COPD Exacerbation

4. Which assessment item is the best to capture community mobility and endurance?

- A. DGI
- B. FGA
- C. Berg
- D. 6MWT

5. Which organ transplantation is the most common in the United States?

- A. Kidney
- B. Heart
- C. Liver
- D. Lung

6. Which vital response would be concerning in a treatment of a patient six weeks post operative from a heart transplant in home health?

- A. Heart Rate of 85 while Ambulating
- B. Heart Rate of 50 while Resting
- C. Blood Pressure of 80/44 post Ambulation
- D. Blood Pressure of 150/77 after Ambulation

7. What strength measure would best capture functional strength in a patient one week after a liver transplant?

- A. Five Time Sit to Stand
- B. Manual Muscle Test of the Quadriceps
- C. Berg
- D. TUG

8. UNOS plays which of the following roles in organ transplantation?

- A. Procurement of Organs
- **B.** Transplantation List
- C. Determining Necessity for Organs
- D. All of the Above

9. Which PT balance test may capture fall risk in a patient on post operative day five from a kidney transplant who needs minimum assistance to ambulate?

- A. Berg
- B. DGI
- C. FGA
- D. TUG

10. What is the most common reason one would need a liver transplant?

- A. Hepatitis
- B. Cirrhosis
- C. Ascites
- D. Jaundice

11. Which of the following is a key to success in all transplantation rehabilitation?

- A. Achieving Goals as Quickly as Possible
- **B.** Family Support
- C. Achieving Normal Strength in Three Weeks
- D. None of These

12. What intervention should a PT prioritize for a patient in the ICU who has not been mobilized on day two after a heart transplantation?

- A. Bed Mobility
- B. Core Strengthening Exercises
- C. Positioning Program with Wedges
- D. Both A and C

13. What represents a precaution in working with all patients post organ transplantation?

- A. Sternal Precautions
- B. Spreading Disease to Immunocompromised
- C. Airborne Precautions
- **D. Standard Precautions**

14. What complication is a patient who has not mobilized in three days after a kidney transplant at risk of?

- A. Rejection
- B. Infection
- C. Pulmonary Embolism
- D. Myocardial Infarction

15. If a patient achieves 395 meters on the 6MWT two months after their transplant, what does this indicate?

- A. Normal Test
- B. Slightly Impaired Gait Speed
- C. Debility
- D. Safe Community Ambulation

16. Which of the following is not a characteristic of someone who is frail?

- A. Walking Speed of 0.6 m/sec
- B. Intentional Weight Loss of 15 Pounds
- C. Grip Strength in the 5th Percentile
- D. Self Reported Exhaustion of Less than Two Days Per Week

17. What consideration should a PT take into account when evaluating a patient post lung transplant in the ICU?

A. Immunocompromised

- B. Sternal Precautions
- C. Vitals

18. Which strength exercise parameter is appropriate for a patient three months from their liver transplantation surgery?

- A. Three Sets of Eight Squats
- B. Five Sets of Two Squats
- C. Four Sets of Twenty Lunges
- D. Two Sets of Five Lunges

19. Which condition may require other forms of treatment besides lung replacement?

- A. Lung Cancer
- B. Pulmonary Fibrosis
- C. Cystic Fibrosis
- D. COPD

20. What standardized measure might a PT ask to gain insight on the difficulty of an aerobic exercise task to a patient in a skilled nursing setting?

- A. Pain Rating
- B. RPE
- C. Exertion Rating
- D. Difficulty Rating

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